

Report S-3 KENTUCKY PUBLIC LIBRARY SECTION

Kentucky Library Association Board Meeting June 13, 2009 @ 10am EDT Galt House Hotel & Suites Louisville, KY

The Kentucky Public Library Association Executive Committee met on April 22, 2009 at the KPLA Spring Conference in Lexington, located at the Lexington Downtown Hotel & Conference Center. A KPLA Business Meeting was held on April 23, 2009 at the same location.

Two terms expiring this fall have been filled. Libby Childers has been voted for Treasurer and Martha White has been voted for Vice Chair Elect. Their terms will begin after the KLA/KSMA Fall Conference 2009.

The Awards Committee reported that the following received awards at the KPLA Spring Conference:

- Rebecca Watson (Woodford County) Miss Pickle Outstanding Children's Services Award
- Ann Schoenenberer (Kenton County) Jim Harrison Outstanding Outreach Services Award
- Michele Lawson (Middlesborough Public) Margaret Willis community Service Award
- Wayne Onkst (KDLA) Outstanding Public Library Service Award
- Joe Williams (Lexington Public) Richardson/Conway Outstanding Public Library Volunteer Award
- Jim Wyrick (Lexington Public) James Gugeler Outstanding Public Library Trustee Award
- Warren County Public Library Board of Trustees Outstanding Library Board Award
- Mike Buchanan (Warren Co Jude Executive) Public Library Advocacy Award
- **Scholarships** were received by: Deloris Flowers (Mary Wood Weldon Memorial Library), Robin Amyx (Jessamine County), and Angeline Miller (Warren County)

The 2009 KPLA Spring Conference was a success with 330 registered participants. The 2010 KPLA Spring Conference has been scheduled for April 14-16, 2010 in Bowling Green, KY.

Eight public librarians attended the National Library Legislative Days (NLLD) in Washington on May 11 & 12. A total of 15 representatives from Kentucky Libraries worked together to meet with Kentucky Senators and Congressmen or their staff. An electronic campaign was held May 7 & 8 among the public libraries throughout KY in preparation of NLDD.

The Kentucky Public Library Standards is in the final stages of revision and will be promoted and released at the beginning of the new Fiscal Year.

The next KPLA Board Meeting has been scheduled for July 22 @ 4:30pm and the KPLA Business Meeting has been scheduled for October 1 at the KLA/KSMA Fall Conference.

Respectfully submitted,

Kristi Tucker KPLA Chair